

examination[ɪg,zæmɪ'neɪʃ(ə)n] *n*

1. 1) **осмотр, освидетельствование, обследование**
 custom-house examination - таможенный досмотр
 post-mortem examination - вскрытие (*трупа*)
 immigration examination - паспортный контроль (*при въезде иммигрантов в страну*)
 examination record book - *тех.* журнал осмотра (*оборудования и т. п.*)
 examination of equipment - технический осмотр
 examination by touch - *мед.* пальпация
 to make (an) examination - осмотреть, освидетельствовать
 to undergo a medical [X-ray, mental] examination - подвергнуться медицинскому [рентгенологическому, психиатрическому] обследованию [*см. тж.* 5]
- 2) **исследование, изучение**
 thorough examination - а) всестороннее исследование; б) тщательное изучение (*материала*)
 geological examination - геологическое изыскание, бурение
 an examination into the authorship of the book - рассмотрение вопроса об авторстве данной книги
 his infamous conduct is under examination - проводится расследование его безобразного поведения
2. **экзамен**
 written [oral] examination - письменный [устный] экзамен
 an examination in English [in mathematics] - экзамен по английскому языку [по математике]
 examinations for teachers' certificate - экзамены на получение права преподавать
 competitive examination - конкурсный экзамен
 admitted by /upon/ competitive examination - принятый по конкурсу
 to give an examination - экзаменовать
 to go in for /to sit for, to take/ an examination - держать экзамен
 to pass an examination - выдержать экзамен
 to fail in an examination - провалиться на экзамене
3. **проверка, поверка; рассмотрение; экспертиза (тж. expert examination):**
 field examination - *спец.* полевая поверка, поверка на местности
 on /upon/ examination - при проверке; по рассмотрении
 on closer examination it proved that ... - при ближайшем рассмотрении оказалось, что ...
 examination of a claim - рассмотрение претензии
 examination of accounts - проверка отчётности проверка счетов
 to subject a theory to a critical examination - подвергнуть теорию весьма тщательной проверке
4. *юр.* следствие
5. *юр.*
 - 1) допрос свидетеля или подсудимого
 direct examination - допрос свидетеля стороной, которая на него ссылается
 to undergo /to be under/ examination - подвергаться допросу [*см. тж.* 1, 1)]
 to take the examination of smb. - допрашивать кого-л. и протоколировать ответы
 - 2) протокол допроса
6. *спец.* анализ (*химический и т. п.*)

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

exam-in-ation [examination examinations] *BrE* [ɪg,zæmɪ'neɪʃn] ^u *NAmE*[ɪg,zæmɪ'neɪʃn] ^u **noun**

1. **countable** (formal) = **↑exam**
 - to sit an examination in mathematics
 - successful candidates in GCSE examinations
 - Applicants are selected for jobs on the results of a competitive examination. **Use**
 - **take/do/sit an examination** not write an examination.
 2. **uncountable, countable** the act of looking at or considering sth very carefully
 - Careful examination of the ruins revealed an even earlier temple.
 - **On closer examination** it was found that the signature was not genuine.
 - Your proposals are still **under examination** .
 - The issue needs **further examination** .
 - The chapter concludes with a brief examination of some of the factors causing family break-up.
 3. **countable** a close look at sth/sb, especially to see if there is anything wrong or to find the cause of a problem
 - a medical examination
 - a post-mortem examination
- see also** **↑cross-examination**

Word Origin:

late Middle English (also in the sense 'testing (one's conscience) by a standard'): via Old French from Latin **examinatio(n)-**, from **examinare** 'weigh, test', from **examen** 'examination' .

Thesaurus:**examination** **noun**

1. U, C

• Careful examination of the roof revealed the cause of the leak.
inspection • • **check** • • **observation** • • **surveillance** • • **survey** • • **scan** • • **check-up** • |especially business audit •
 a **medical** examination/inspection/check/check-up
carry out/do a/an examination/inspection/check/observation/surveillance/survey/scan/audit
 a/an examination/inspection/check/observation/survey/scan/check-up/audit **reveals/shows** sth

2. U, C

• Your proposals are still under examination.

research • • **analysis** • • **exploration** • • **study** • • **discussion** • • **enquiry/inquiry** • |formal scrutiny •

scientific examination/research/analysis/exploration/study/enquiry/scrutiny

carry out/conduct/undertake (a/an) examination/research/analysis/exploration/study

(the) examination/research/analysis/exploration/study/scrutiny **reveals** sth

Examination or study? In this meaning, **examination** is often practical, in order to make a decision about sth; **study** is usually academic, in order to find out about a subject.

Example Bank:

- A visual examination corroborated this.
- Constraints of space do not permit a thorough examination of all of these points.
- Each of the proposals deserves careful examination.
- Entrance was by competitive examination.
- He carried out a post-mortem examination.
- He failed his examination in history.
- He has just completed his final examinations at London University.
- He was marking school examination papers during the summer vacation.
- His ideas about social change do not stand up to close examination.
- His ideas do not stand up to close examination.
- I was advised to have a full eyesight examination.
- Most of them don't really bear further examination.
- On closer examination the wood was found to be rotten.
- One of the teacher's principal duties is to prepare students for external examinations.
- Patients were asked to lie on the examination table.
- Several items of clothing are still under examination.
- She lay on the examination couch and waited for the doctor to return.
- She will take her examinations later this year.
- Students may enter for both examinations.
- The examinations are set by individual teachers.
- The school curriculum has undergone critical examination in recent years.
- The school's controversial methods have come under examination by the local authority.
- The stiff entrance examination removes 60 per cent of prospective students.
- These figures warrant closer examination.
- They rushed her into the examination room.
- This argument requires examination from several angles.
- We did examinations on the bodies.
- We will make a more thorough examination of the area later.
- a microscopic examination of the cell structure
- a periodic health examination
- a routine breast examination
- an examination on human anatomy
- genital checks and other intimate examinations
- the faults in the examination system
- A post-mortem examination indicated that the deceased had been poisoned.
- Careful examination of the evidence revealed more surprises.
- Doctors gave him a thorough medical examination.
- On closer examination, her story did not seem to stand up.
- On closer examination, it was found that the signature was not genuine.
- She failed her examination in history.
- The chapter concludes with a brief examination of what causes family break-up.
- There has been a fall in the number of examination candidates.
- This issue needs further examination.
- Your proposals are still under examination.

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Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

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[Word Family: noun: ↑exam, ↑examination, cross-examination, ↑examiner; verb: ↑examine, ↑cross-examine]

1. [countable] **formal** a spoken or written test of knowledge, especially an important one **SYN exam** :

" The examination results will be announced in September.

" He's already taken the entrance examination.

2. [uncountable and countable] the process of looking at something carefully in order to see what it is like

examination of

" a detailed examination of population statistics

under examination

- " The proposals are still under examination.
- " The issues need further examination.

on examination

- " On closer examination the vases were seen to be cracked.

3. [countable] a set of medical tests:

- " All patients had a complete physical examination.
- " A post-mortem examination (=an examination on a dead body) showed that he died from head injuries.

4. [uncountable and countable] law the process of asking questions to get specific information, especially in a court of law

⇒ ↑cross-examine

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COLLOCATIONS (for Meaning 1)

■ verbs

- **take an examination** (also **sit an examination** *British English*) Do you have to take an examination in every subject?
- **pass an examination** (=succeed in it) I really hope that Suzie passes the examination.
- **fail an examination** Michael had never yet failed an examination.
- **study for an examination** (also **revise for an examination** *British English*) I have been studying all week for the examination.
- **do well/badly in an examination** He did well in his examinations, and went on to study at MIT.
- **cheat in an examination** Any student caught cheating in an examination will be suspended.

■ ADJECTIVES/NOUN + examination

- **a final examination** (=at the end of a course) My final examinations take place in June.
- **a written/oral examination** For French, there is an oral and a written examination.
- **a chemistry/French etc examination** Most of the pupils passed their science examination with flying colours.
- **an entrance examination** (=to enter a school or university) He had now failed the college entrance examination twice.
- **a mock examination** (=a practice examination to prepare for the real one) Mock examinations help you to prepare for the real thing.
- **A-level/high school etc examinations** The school usually achieves good results in GCSE examinations.

■ examination + NOUN

- **examination results** You will receive your examination results in the post.
- **an examination paper** There will be a choice of questions on the examination paper.
- **an examination question** Read the examination questions carefully before writing your answers.
- **examination revision** I need to find somewhere quiet to do some examination revision.
- **an examination script** (=everything that someone writes in an examination) I've just finished marking 200 examination scripts.
- **examination marks** On average, girls achieved higher examination marks than boys.
- **an examination pass** To apply, you need at least two A-level examination passes.

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COLLOCATIONS (for Meaning 2)

■ verbs

- **carry out an examination** (also **conduct an examination** *formal*) (=examine something) The police are carrying out an examination of the crime scene.

■ adjectives

- **a careful examination** After a very careful examination of the evidence, we have ruled against the defendant.
- **a detailed examination** Scientists have carried out a detailed examination of the house.
- **a thorough/rigorous examination** (=very careful) There needs to be a thorough examination of these claims.
- **a close examination** (=very careful and detailed) A close examination of the figures revealed many discrepancies.
- **a brief examination** (=quick, and not very detailed) In chapter one, there is a brief examination of the economic situation in the country at the time.
- **a cursory examination** (=very quick and not careful or detailed) Even a cursory examination of the documents would reveal some serious problems.
- **a superficial examination** (=looking only at things that are obvious and easy to see) The police carried out a fairly superficial examination of the room.
- **a preliminary/initial examination** The inland revenue began a preliminary examination of his tax returns in August.
- **further examination** (=a more detailed or careful examination) The results of the experiment merit further examination.
- **forensic examination** (=the scientific methods used for finding out about a crime) The clothing was sent to the lab for forensic examination.

■ phrases

- **on closer examination** On closer examination, I could see a slight crack in the window.
- **under examination** The handling of the matter is under examination by congressional investigators.

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COLLOCATIONS (for Meaning 3)

■ verbs

- **have an examination** He was examined by Dr Bower yesterday and will have another examination today.
- **undergo an examination** (=have one) All new employees are required to undergo a medical examination.
- **conduct/perform an examination** The doctor will perform an examination in order to assess the problem.
- **an examination shows** (also **an examination reveals** *formal*) A second examination showed a small growth in his stomach.

■ adjectives

- **a medical examination** We need to do a further medical examination.
- **a clinical examination** (=by a doctor) The clinical examination may not reveal anything abnormal.

- **a post-mortem examination** (=an examination of a dead body to discover why the person died) The post-mortem examination showed that he died from a blood clot in the brain.
- **a routine examination** I made an appointment at the dentist's for a routine examination.

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